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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Mitsuhiro YAMASHITA, et al.

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RELATED CASES

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- Please charge any additional fees for the papers being filed herewith and for which no check or credit card payment is enclosed herewith, or credit any overpayment to deposit account number 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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	AO	10-092625	4/10/1998	JP(with English abstract)	YES	NO	
	AP	2001-267146	9/28/2001	JP(with English abstract)	YES	NO	
	AQ	10-284325	10/23/1998	JP(with English abstract)	YES	NO	
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	AS				YES	NO	
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STATEMENT OF RELEVANCY

- 1) References have been cited in the International Search Report. A copy of these references is being submitted herewith.
- 2) References AO - AQ have been cited in the corresponding Japanese Office Action. A copy of these references is being submitted herewith.
- 3) References are discussed in the specification. A copy of these references is being submitted herewith.
- 4) References are additional prior art known to Applicant. A copy of these references is being submitted herewith.

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Notification of Reason for Refusal

Patent Application No.	Patent Application No.2003-375434
Drafting Date	May 8, 2006
Examiner of JPO	SHIGETA, Naoro 9298 5R00
Representative	Yoshijiro ABE
Applied Provision	Patent Law Section 29(2)

This application should be refused for the reason mentioned below. If the applicant has any argument against the reason, such argument should be submitted within 60 days from the date on which this notification was dispatched.

Reason

1. The invention(s) in the claim(s) listed below of the subject application should not be granted a patent under the provision of Patent Law Section 29(2) since it could have easily been made by persons with ordinary skill in the art to which the invention(s) pertains, on the basis of the invention(s) which were described in a distributed publication(s) listed below or made available to the public through electric telecommunication lines in Japan or foreign countries prior to the filing of the subject application.

Note (The list of cited documents etc. is shown below.)

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1. JP, 10-92625, A
2. JP, 2001-267146, A
3. JP, 10-284325, A

Record of the result of prior art search

• Technical field to be searched	Int. Cl(7) H01F17/00-21/12, H01F27/00-22/42 H01F30/00 H01F38/42
• Prior art documents	JP 6-196346, A

This record is not a component(s) of the reason for refusal.
